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NEWS AND NOTES

FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF TEACHERS OF ENGLISH

The fourth annual meeting of the National Council of Teachers of English will be held in Chicago, November 26-28, 1914. The headquarters and place of meeting will be the Auditorium Hotel, which offers special rates to those attending the convention.

PROGRAM

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 6:30 P.M.

Dinner for officers of the Council and members of affiliated societies. Any member of the Council will be welcome. *Reservations must be made in advance.* Address the Secretary of the Council. Topic for discussion: "The Welfare of the Council."

The Board of Directors will meet at 9:30 P.M.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 27

General Session, Banquet Hall, Ninth Floor, 9:00 A.M.

President's Address: High-School Reading, Compulsory and Voluntary—FRANKLIN T. BAKER, Teachers College, Columbia University. Speech Training, a Symposium—JOHN M. CLAPP, Lake Forest College; THOMAS C. TRUEBLOOD, University of Michigan; CALVIN L. LEWIS, Hamilton College; and ROLLO L. LYMAN, University of Chicago, committee in charge. KATHERINE EVERTS and other specialists will speak.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 27

SECTION MEETINGS, 2:00 P.M.

Elementary-School Section, North Room, Ninth Floor

Chairman: J. W. SEARSON, Agricultural College of Kansas

Essentials of Subject-Matter and Economy of Time—ORTON LOWE, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, Allegheny County, Pa.; LULA O. ANDREWS, Peabody College for Teachers; and JAMES F. HOSIC, Chicago Normal College.

A Survey of Conditions in the Elementary Schools, a Report of Progress
—EDWIN M. HOPKINS, University of Kansas.

*High-School, Normal-School, and Library Sections, South Room,
Ninth Floor*

Chairman: E. H. K. McCOMB, Manual Training High School, Indianapolis, Ind.

The Library and the English Teacher—MARY E. HALL, Girls' High School, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Carrie E. T. Dracass, Englewood High School, Chicago, Ill.; and C. E. AYERS, State Normal School, Warrensburg, Mo.

The Notebook as an Aid to Efficiency—CHARLES R. GASTON, Richmond Hill High School, Richmond Hill, N.Y.

Amateur Journalism—MAURICE W. MOE, High School, Appleton, Wis.

College Section, Club Room No. 1, Mezzanine Floor

Chairman: EDWIN MIMS, Vanderbilt University

Composition in the Colleges—EDWARD A. THURBER, University of Oregon.

Literature for Sophomores—FREDERICK J. POHL, Ohio Wesleyan University.

The Use of Present-Day Criticism—F. S. TILDEN, De Pauw University.

The Organization of a Course in Freshman English—KARL YOUNG, University of Wisconsin.

Discussion—FRED N. SCOTT, University of Michigan.

Public-Speaking Section, South Parlor

Chairman: CHARLES H. WOOLBERT, University of Illinois

High-School Discussion Contests—ROSS F. LOCKRIDGE, Indiana University. Discussion, LEVERETT LYON, Joliet High School, Joliet, Ill.

Suggested Fields for Research in Public Speaking—J. S. GAYLORD, Winona Normal School, Winona, Minn. Discussion, JAMES A. WINANS, Cornell University.

Report on the Questionnaire on Organization—CLARION D. HARDY, Northwestern University. Discussion, FRANK M. RARIG, University of Minnesota, and HARRY G. HOUGHTON, University of Wisconsin.

Annual Business Meeting, South Room, Ninth Floor, 4:30 P.M.

Election of ten members of the Board of Directors, report of the Secretary, and other business.

Annual Dinner, 6 P.M.—Reservations must be made in advance. After the dinner several two-minute speeches will be made. Toastmaster, EDWIN FAIRLEY, Jamaica High School, Jamaica, N.Y.

SECTION MEETING, 8:00 P.M.

Elementary- and Normal-School Sections, North Room, Ninth Floor

English in the Country Schools—Report of a Committee, by WALTER BARNES, Chairman, Normal School, Fairmont, W.Va.

Uniform Grammatical Nomenclature in Practice—O. D. WANNAMAKER, Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala.; ALMA BLOUNT, State Normal College, Ypsilanti, Mich.; W. W. BLACK, Indiana University; C. R. ROUNDS, Inspector of Normal Schools, Madison, Wis.

High-School and College Sections, South Room, Ninth Floor

The Preparation of High-School Teachers of English—Report of a Committee, by the Chairman, FRANKLIN T. BAKER, Teachers College, Columbia University.

A Survey of High-School English—EDWIN L. MILLER, Principal, Northwestern High School, Detroit, Mich.

Plays in School and College—J. MILNOR DOREY, High School, Trenton, N.J.

The Public-Speaking Section, South Parlor

The Need of Teaching a Public Manner as against a Private or Colloquial Manner—CLAYTON D. CRAWFORD, Beloit College. Discussion, ARTHUR L. GATES, Miami University.

Voice in Its Relation to Public Speaking—IRVAH L. WINTER, Harvard University. Discussion, GLENN N. MERRY, State University of Iowa.

The Place of Interpretive Reading in a Department of Public Speaking—RICHARD D. T. HOLLISTER, University of Michigan.

The Library Section, Club Room No. 1

A Program for School Library Extension—Conference led by W. DAWSON JOHNSTON, Public Library, St. Paul, Minn.; MARY E. HALL, Girls' High School, Brooklyn, N.Y.; MARY E. AHERN, Editor of *Public Libraries*, Chicago, Ill.

SATURDAY FORENOON, NOVEMBER 28

General Session, Banquet Room, Ninth Floor, 9:00 A.M.

Unfinished business.

Scientific Investigation of English Teaching—ALLAN ABBOTT, Teachers College, Columbia University.

The Possibilities of the Library—W. DAWSON JOHNSTON, Librarian, St. Paul, Minn.

The Ethical Element in Literature—HENRY NEUMANN, Society for Ethical Culture, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Literature for Recreation—CHARLES M. CURRY, Indiana State Normal School, Terre Haute, Ind.

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